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ACTION EB-11

INFO OCT-01 AF-10 ISO-00 SPC-03 AID-20 NSC-10 RSC-01

CIEP-02 TRSE-00 SS-20 STR-08 OMB-01 CEA-02 CIAE-00

COME-00 FRB-02 INR-10 NSAE-00 XMB-07 OPIC-12 LAB-06

SIL-01 INT-08 SCEM-02 IO-14 L-03 H-03 PM-07 DODE-00

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FM AMEMBASSY BLANTYRE

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6733

INFO AMCONSUL CAPE TOWN

AMEMBASSY PRETORIA

AMEMBASSY LUSAKA

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CAPE TOWN FOR EMBASSY

E. O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ENRG, ECRP, MI

SUBJ: MALAWI OIL TRADE DATA

REF: STATE 251108, BLANTYRE 12 (NOTAL)

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1. ALL RE-EXPORTS PETROLEUM FROM MALAWI WERE DESTINED FOR ZAMBIA. RE-EXPORTS NOW PROHIBITED.

2. MALAWI IMPORTS JAN-SEPT. 1973 IN THOUSANDS OF IMPERIAL GALLONS:

AVIATION SPIRIT	446.0
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JET FUEL	1,704.0
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MOTOR SPIRIT	8,329.3
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WHITE SPIRIT	58.1
PARAFFIN, POWER	121.4
PARAFFIN, ILLUMINATING	309.0
DISTILLATE FUEL INCLUDI*G DIESEL	11,315.8
RESIDUAL FUEL OILS	913.1
LUBRICATING OILS	717.9
GREASES (THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)	509.2
GAS PETROLUEM (THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)	381.2
PETROLEUM JELLY (THOUSANDS OF POUNDS)	648.8

SOUR*E: NATIONAL STATISTICAL OFFICE; DATA BY COUNTRY OF
ORIGIN NOT YET COMPILED BY NSO.

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3. PETROLEUM IMPORTERS FROM SOUTH AFRICA (MOBIL AND CALTEX)
HAVE BEEN WARNED THEY MAY BE CUT 30 PER CENT IN EVENT OF**
SEVERE SHORTAGES IN SOUTH AFRICA. AS 38 PERCENT*OF THESE IMPORTS
PREVIOUSLY RE-EXPORTED, NO DEPLEWION OF MOBIL AND CALTEX
STOCKS ANTICIPATED.

4. PROHIBITION OF WEEKEND SALES AND LIMITATION OF CONTAINER
*ALES NOVEMBER 27 HAVE RAISED IN-COUNTRY STOCKS FOR ALL
COMPANIES FROM PREVIOUS ELEVEN DAY SUPPLY TO SEVENTEEN DAYS.
STORAGE CAPACITY IS 33-DAY SUPPLY. STOCKS AS OF DECEMBER 28
IN THOUSANDS OF IMPERIAL GALLONS:

AVIATION SPIRIT	52.8
JET FUEL	98.0
MOTOR SPIRIT	740.5
PARAFFIN	144.0
DIESEL FUEL	743.2
RESIDUAL FUEL OIL	64.8

SOURCE: PRIVATE OIL INDUSTRY

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